

# ISSUE OF A CIRCULAR BY THE D. P. I. FOR THE DEMOTION OF STUDENTS IN SOME EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN MYSORE DISTRICT.

\*Q.—1051. Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA (Nanjangud).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they are aware of the action taken by the Director of Public Instruction in issuing a belated circular purporting to demote candidates from the I year of the High School in some Educational Institutions in the Mysore District ;

(b) the number of candidates affected by this Order of the Director of Public Instruction ;

(c) whether Government have approved of the action taken by the D. P. I. on this behalf ;

(d) whether they will institute an enquiry into the conduct of officers involved in this unusual step taken by them causing inconvenience to hundreds of students ?

A.—Sri ANNARAO GANAMUKHI (Minister for Education).—

(a) The Department of Public Instruction had issued a circular for the demotion of students who did not satisfy the conditions of re-examination.

(b) Information is not readily available and is being collected.

(c) & (d) The D.P.I. is competent to deal with such matters. The circular issued by the D.P.I. has since been withdrawn by him.

## RELEASE OF LAND FROM RAMADEVARABETTA FOREST.

\*Q.—1065. Sri M. LINGE GOWDA (Kanakapura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether it is a fact that about 600 acres of land have been released on 29th April 1959 from Ramadevarabetta forest ;

(b) whether it has been handed over to Revenue Department ;

(c) the object with which this extent has been released ?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Forests).—

(a) No.

(b) & (c) Does not arise in view of clause (a).

## MEMBER'S REPRESENTATIONS

Sri K. KENCHAPPA.—Sir, Questions sent by me six months back are not yet answered on the ground that they are too long and require much time to be answered.